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TO AMEMBASSY QUITO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EC, BEXP

SUBJECT: ROAD BUILDING EQUIPMENT PURCHASE

REF: QUITO 0847 AND PREVIOUS

FHWA REACTING TO ABOVE REFERENCED CABLES BY:

1. PREPARING A PROPOSED AGREEMENT BETWEEN ECAUDOREAN MINISTER OF PUPIC WORKS AND THE U.S. FHWA.
2. GATHERING SUFFICIENT PRICE INFORMATION TO PERMIT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TOTAL COST FOR PURPOSES OF ESTABLIS -  
MENT OF AN IRREVOCABLE LETTER OF CREDIT. COMPETITION AND VOLUME WILL CONTROL THE PRICE LEVEL OF INDIVIDUAL ITEMS.
3. GATHERING LATEST INFORMATION ON DELIVERY SCHEDULES.
4. PREPARING TO HAVE FHWA OFFICIAL TRAVEL TO QUITO FOR CONFERENCE WITH MINISTER PUMA. WILL PROVIDE NAME OF OFFICIAL AND TRAVEL PLANS IN NEAR FUTURE. KISSINGER

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